	e a plus sign (+) inside this			Approved for Patent and Trademark Copond to a collection of information	or use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-003 office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERC unless it displays a valid OMB control numbe	
Substitute for form 1449A/PTO 007 0 1 2004			om 0 1 20대 분	Complete if Known		
		\_		Application Number	09/642,061	
INF	ORMATION D	)ISY	CLOSUFE	Filing Date	8/18/2000	
STA	TEMENT BY	AF	PLICANT	First Named Inventor	Lewis	
				Group Art Unit	2177	
	(use as many sheets	as ne	ecessary)	Examiner Name	Le, M.	
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	103.1035.01	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No'	U.S. Patent Document  Number	Kind Code <sup>2</sup> (if known)	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
July.	1	6,721,764	B2	Hitz et al.	04-13-2004		
null	· 2	6,748,504	B2	Sawdon et al.	06-08-2004		
						,	
:							
<del></del>					,		

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
		Foreign Patent Document			Date of Publication of	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant		
Examiner Initials*	Cite No¹	Office <sup>3</sup>	Number <sup>4</sup>	Kind Code <sup>5</sup> ( <i>if known</i> )	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T⁰
mil	1	wo	02/29573	A2	Lewis et al.	04-11-2002		
orull	2	wo	03/105026	A1	Hitz et al.	12-18-2003		
			<u></u>					

Examiner	1	1 1 1 .	Date	1115/15
Signature	[ / /	melale	Considered	[ O2/43/05

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

\*Unique citation designation number. \*See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. \*Inter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). \*For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. \*Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. \*Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231.